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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension, a petition pursuant to 37

C.F.R. §1.136(a) and authorization to charge the requisite fee being enclosed.

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2003, please consider the

following remarks:

Any fee due as a result of this paper, not covered by an enclosed check, may be charged on Deposit Acct. No. 50-1290.

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